

Foreign Affairs and the New Nation

Directions: Examine the challenges facing the United States as a new nation. Define each event in the center column and summarize the cause and effect for each of the events in the appropriate columns. Use complete sentences and give a thorough explanation of each cause and effect.

Cause	Event	Effect
	Declaration of Neutrality	
	Pinckney's Treaty	
	Battle of Fallen Timbers	
	Jay's Treaty	
	Election of 1796	
	XYZ Affair	
	Alien and Sedition Acts	
	Virginia and Kentucky Resolutions	

Directions: Define each of the terms in the middle column and create a non verbal representation (picture) of the DEFINITION of each term in the right hand column. (2pts each)

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sectionalism		
nullification		

Directions: Answer the following questions using a minimum of two sentences to explain your answers. (2pts each)

1. Was President John Adams justified in issuing the Alien and Sedition Acts? Why or why not?

2. Were the Democratic Republicans justified in saying that the Alien and Sedition Acts violated the First Amendment of the Constitution? Why or Why not?

Directions: answer the following question in a 4-5 sentence paragraph citing specific examples from the reading and your cause and effect chart.

1. In what ways did the American response to foreign nations strengthen or weaken the independence of the United States on the world stage?